

Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 2188

PATENT
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/062001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takuji MAEDA et al. Art Unit: 2188
Application No.: 10/564,817 Examiner: Chery, M.
Title: DATA AREA MANAGING METHOD IN INFORMATION RECORDING
MEDIUM AND INFORMATION PROCESSOR EMPLOYING DATA AREA
MANAGING METHOD
International Application No.: PCT/JP2004/010287
International Filing Date : July 13, 2004
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U.S. Filing Date : January 17, 2006

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 17, 2009,
applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including an
Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicants hereby
petition for an extension of time for one (1) months to November
27, 2009, for filing a response to the Office Action dated July
27, 2009, in connection with the above-identified application.

No extension of time has been previously obtained for filing
the response. Thus a fee of \$130.00 for an extension of one
month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

Transmittal Letter and Petition for
Extension of Time
Application No. 10/564,817
November 27, 2009

The required fees are calculated below:

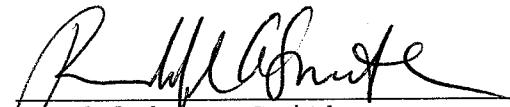
Total Claims	<u>9</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
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One Month Extension of Time Fee \$130.00

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$130.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-2586, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0074/062001. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: November 27, 2009

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